

In the Supreme Court of the State of Alaska

Mark A. Weinberger Jr.,
Petitioner,

v.

State of Alaska,
Respondent.

Supreme Court No. **S-18371**

Order

Motion to Withdraw as Counsel

Date of Order: **4/19/22**

Court of Appeals No. **A-13391**

Trial Court Case No. **3KN-18-00341CR**

Renee McFarland, attorney for the Public Defender Agency, currently represents the Petitioner, Mark Alan Weinberger, Jr. in the immediate Petition for Hearing. On 4/5/22, Ms. McFarland filed a Motion to Withdraw as Counsel on the grounds that the Petitioner is no longer in contact with the Public Defender Agency and, despite the Agency's efforts, the Agency has been unable to contact the Petitioner. On consideration of this motion,

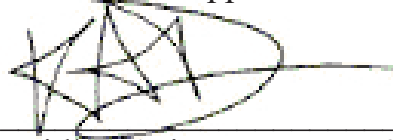
IT IS ORDERED:

The motion is **GRANTED**. The Public Defender Agency is **WITHDRAWN** as counsel for Mr. Weinberger. Furthermore, in light of the fact that the Petitioner is unable to be reached and the Petition for Hearing is overdue, this petition is **DISMISSED** for want of prosecution under Appellate Rule 511.5(c). If Mr. Weinberger later wishes to pursue this petition, he may ask to have the petition reinstated.

Entered at the direction of an individual justice.

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Kaitlin D'Eimon, Deputy Clerk

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